Practice Question Set For GCSE
Subject : Biology
Paper-1 Topic: B4 Bioenergetics

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Name of the Student:_____
Max. Marks : 23 Marks **Time : 23 Minutes**

Q1.

Green plants can make glucose.

(a) Plants need energy to make glucose.

How do plants get this energy?

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(2)

(b) Plants can use the glucose they have made to supply them with energy.

Give **four** other ways in which plants use the glucose they have made.

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(4)
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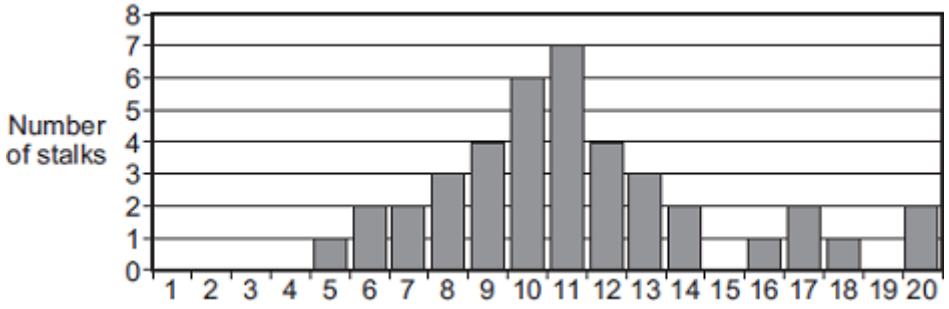
Q2.

Some students studied bluebell plants growing in two different habitats.

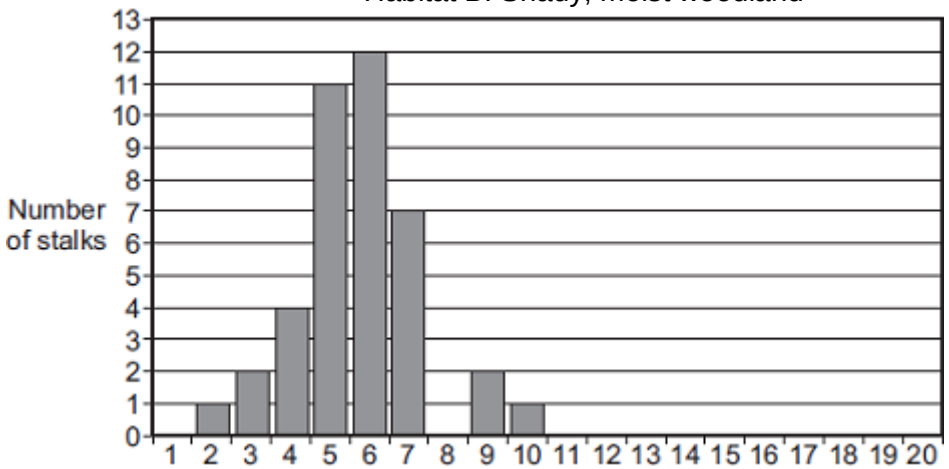
Habitat **A** was a sunny field next to woodland.
Habitat **B** was a shady, moist woodland.

A bluebell plant can have several flowers on one flower stalk. The students counted the number of flowers on each of 40 bluebell flower stalks growing in each habitat.
The bar charts show the results.

Habitat A: Sunny field next to woodland



Habitat B: Shady, moist woodland



(a) The students wanted to collect valid data.
Describe how the students should have sampled the bluebell plants at each habitat to collect valid data.

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(2)

(b) (i) The students used the bar charts to find the mode for the number of flowers per stalk in the two habitats.

The mode for the number of flowers per stalk in habitat **A** was 11.

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What was the mode for the number of flowers per stalk in habitat **B**?

Mode = _____

(1)

(ii) The students suggested the following hypothesis:

'The difference in the modes is due to the plants receiving different amounts of sunlight.'

Suggest why.

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(2)

(iii) Suggest how the students could test their hypothesis for the two habitats.

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(2)

(c) Suggest how receiving more sunlight could result in the plants producing more flowers per stalk.

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(2)

(Total 9 marks)

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Q3.

(a) Complete the equation for photosynthesis.



(3)

(b) The rate of photosynthesis in a plant depends on several factors in the environment. These factors include light intensity and the availability of water.

Describe and explain the effects of **two other** factors that affect the rate of photosynthesis.

You may include one or more sketch graphs in your answer.

(5)

(Total 8 marks)

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